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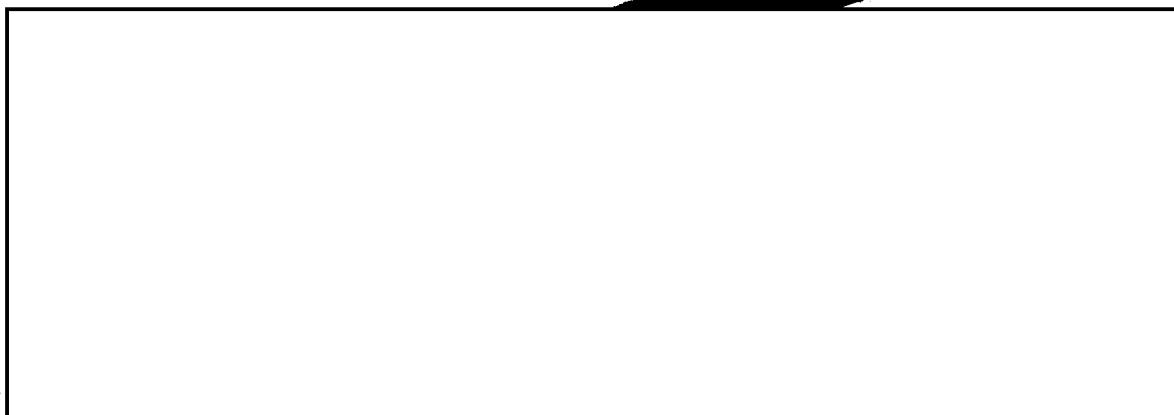
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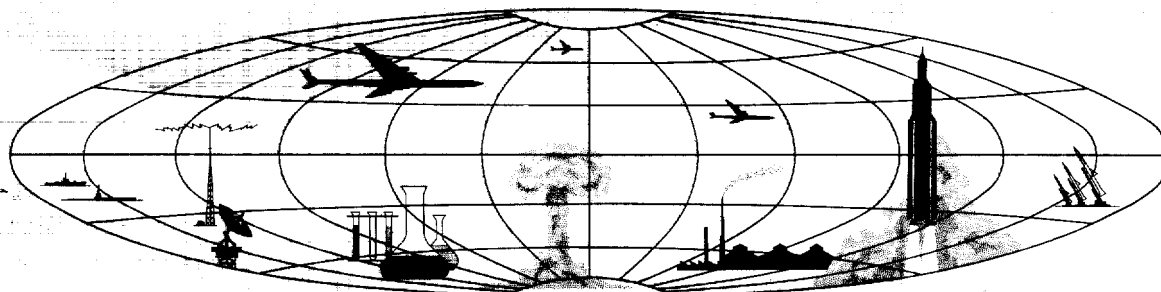


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## OAK-PART I

# MISSION 9041

### PREFACE

THIS IS THE FIRST OF AN ESTIMATED 2 DAILY OAK REPORTS BASED ON MISSION 9041 AND DEALING WITH THE HIGHEST-PRIORITY INTELLIGENCE ITEMS APPEARING IN THE COMOR TARGET LIST. THIS REPORT, COVERING THE OAK-REPORTING PERIOD FROM 0800 HOURS TO 1430 HOURS, 11 AUGUST 1962, PRESENTS INFORMATION ONLY ON THOSE COMOR TARGETS OBSERVED ON THE PHOTOGRAPHY.

IN SOME INSTANCES INTERPRETATION HAS BEEN IMPAIRED BY FOGGING OF UNKNOWN ORIGIN. TARGETS WHICH COULD BE IDENTIFIED BUT NOT INTERPRETED BECAUSE OF LIMITING CONDITIONS (IDENTIFICATION ONLY) ARE INCLUDED IN THIS REPORT. COMOR TARGETS NOT OBSERVED OR NOT COVERED BY THE PHOTOGRAPHY WILL BE INCLUDED IN THE FINAL OAK REPORT ON MISSION 9041.

TARGETS ARE ARRANGED IN THE OAK BY SUBJECT, AND WITHIN EACH SUBJECT BY COMOR TARGET NUMBER. TARGETS OF OPPORTUNITY OBSERVED DURING THE OAK-REPORTING PERIOD ARE LISTED NUMERICALLY UNDER THE APPROPRIATE SUBJECT FOLLOWING THE LISTING OF COMOR TARGETS. ALL TARGETS IN THIS REPORT ARE LOCATED IN THE USSR UNLESS OTHERWISE INDICATED.

THE NAMES WHICH APPEAR IN THE HEADERS FOR MRBM SITES ARE THE NAMES WHICH CONFORM WITH TDI CRITERIA (REFERENCE -- NAMES OF SURFACE-TO-SURFACE INSTALLATIONS, J2DM-35-62, 14 FEB 62).

SELECTED PHOTOGRAPHIC REFERENCES ARE GIVEN FOR EACH TARGET OBSERVED AND REPORTED FOLLOWING THE DESCRIPTION OF THE TARGET. PASS NUMBERS ARE PREFIXED WITH EITHER AN A FOR ASCENDING (SOUTH-TO-NORTH) OR D FOR DESCENDING (NORTH-TO-SOUTH). THE LETTER F PRECEDING FRAME NUMBERS INDICATES THE FORWARD CAMERA, AND THE LETTER A PRECEDING FRAME NUMBERS INDICATES THE AFT CAMERA. UNIVERSAL REFERENCE GRID (X-Y) COORDINATES ARE GIVEN IN PARENTHESES FOLLOWING THE FRAME TO WHICH THEY APPLY. THIS GRID IS IDENTIFIED AS KH-4 (1) APR 62.

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FROM MISSION 9041 IS BEING ACCOMPLISHED IN A SHORT TIME AND OFTEN WITHOUT THE AID OF PRECISE ANALYTICAL AND MENSURAL EQUIPMENT COMMONLY EMPLOYED IN DETAILED PHOTOGRAPHIC ANALYSIS. CONSEQUENTLY, ALTHOUGH THE INFORMATION PRESENTED HEREIN IS ESSENTIALLY ACCURATE, FUTURE DETAILED ANALYSIS MAY SOMEWHAT ALTER PORTIONS OF THE INFORMATION.

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SUMMARY

STATUS OF COMOR TARGET READOUT

A TOTAL OF 26 COMOR TARGETS WERE OBSERVED DURING THE CURRENT REPORTING PERIOD AND ARE COVERED BY THIS REPORT.

HIGHLIGHTS

THE OMSK ICBM LAUNCH COMPLEX IS NOW CONFIRMED. IT INCLUDES TWO SHADRINSK-TYPE LAUNCH AREAS, ONE OF WHICH IS NEWLY IDENTIFIED AND IN A VERY EARLY STAGE OF CONSTRUCTION [REDACTED]

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A TOTAL OF 16 SUBMARINES ARE VISIBLE AT SAYDA GUBA SUBMARINE BASE [REDACTED]

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MISSILESOMSK SUSPECT ICBM LAUNCH COMPLEX 5503N 07330E

THE OMSK ICBM LAUNCH COMPLEX IS NOW CONFIRMED. IT CONSISTS OF TWO SHADRINSK-TYPE LAUNCH AREAS, A TRANSFER POINT, AND A COMPLEX SUPPORT FACILITY (SEE ATTACHMENT 1). ONE OF THE LAUNCH AREAS (NEWLY-IDENTIFIED LAUNCH AREA B, AT 55-11N 073-33E) IS IN A VERY EARLY STAGE OF CONSTRUCTION. THE ROAD SERVING IT, AND SOME GROUND SCARRING, WERE EVIDENT ON [REDACTED]

A NEW ROAD IS UNDER CONSTRUCTION NORTH OF LAUNCH AREA A, INDICATING FURTHER EXPANSION OF THE COMPLEX.

NO SIGNIFICANT CHANGES HAVE BEEN NOTED AT THE COMPLEX SUPPORT FACILITY, TRANSFER POINT, OR LAUNCH AREA A. HOWEVER, A SMALL UNIDENTIFIED FACILITY (55-04N 073-34E) IS IMMEDIATELY SE OF THE TRANSFER POINT.

PHOTO REFERENCES FOR SIGNIFICANT FACILITIES ON PASS D7 ARE AS FOLLOWS --  
COMPLEX SUPPORT AREA  
LAUNCH AREA A  
LAUNCH AREA B  
TRANSFER POINT  
UNIDENTIFIED FACILITY

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GORKIY SUSPECT SSM AREA 5617N 04355E

NO SSM ACTIVITY NOTED IN CLEAR AREAS WITHIN A 25-NM RADIUS OF GORKIY.

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ISHIM SUSPECT SSM AREA 5607N 06929E

NO SSM ACTIVITY NOTED IN CLEAR AREAS WITHIN A 50-NM RADIUS OF ISHIM.

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PETROPAVLOVSK SUSPECT SSM AREA 5452N 06906E

NO SSM ACTIVITY OBSERVED IN CLEAR AREAS WITHIN A  
50-NM RADIUS OF PETROPAVLOVSK.

[REDACTED]

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KHANTY-MANSIYSK SUSPECT SSM AREA 6101N 06902E

NO MISSILE ACTIVITY NOTED IN CLEAR AREAS WITHIN A  
25-NM RADIUS OF KHANTY-MANSIYSK.

[REDACTED]

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GRANOV MRBM LAUNCH SITE 1 4856N 02930E

THE UNIDENTIFIED INSTALLATION 6.5 NM SOUTH OF LAUNCH  
SITE 1 [REDACTED] IS OBSCURED BY  
CLOUDS AND CLOUD SHADOW.

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KARA-BABAU POSSIBLE MRBM LAUNCH SITE 2 4431N 07759E

IDENTIFICATION ONLY.

[REDACTED]

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ANASTASYEVKA MRBM LAUNCH SITE 2 4836N 13541E

SITE APPEARS COMPLETE. NO EVIDENCE OF CAMOUFLAGE.

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KAPUSTIN YAR/VLADIMIROVKA GM TEST RANGE 4835N 04545E

ONLY VLADIMIROVKA AIRFIELD [REDACTED] AND  
SHORT ROAD SEGMENTS ARE DISCERNIBLE THROUGH DARKNESS.

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SARY SHAGAN ANTIMISSILE TEST CENTER 4602N 07334E

NO SIGNIFICANT CHANGE SINCE MISSION [REDACTED]  
THE ENTIRE RANGE IS COVERED BY FAIR QUALITY  
PHOTOGRAPHY.

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VOZZHAYEVKA SUSPECT SSM AREA 5043N 12843E

NO SSM ACTIVITY NOTED IN CLEAR AREAS WITHIN A 50-NM  
RADIUS OF VOZZHAYEVKA AIRFIELD.

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NOVE MESTO POD SUSPECT MISSILE AREA (CZECH) 5056N 01515E

NO SSM ACTIVITY VISIBLE IN CLEAR AREAS.

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LUOSTARI/PECHENGA RAIL SEARCH 6925N 03100E

NO SSM ACTIVITY IN VISIBLE AREAS ALONG MAIN RAIL LINE  
AND SPUR LINES.

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SAYDA GUBA SUBMARINE BASE 6915N 03321E

A TOTAL OF 16 SUBMARINES OBSERVED, 6 OF WHICH ARE  
LARGER THAN THE OTHERS. AT LEAST 3 OF THE 6 HAVE  
OVERSIZE SAILS. OTHER VESSELS OBSERVED INCLUDE 3  
CARGO SHIPS (POSSIBLE TENDERS) AND 3 SMALLER SURFACE  
VESSELS.

SHORE FACILITIES INCLUDE 5 PIERS, 4 BUILDING AREAS,  
ONE SECURED STORAGE AREA, AND A DRIVE-THROUGH  
BUILDING. THE SECURED AREA CONTAINS 2 LARGE  
BUILDINGS AND POSSIBLE UNDERGROUND FACILITIES.

OFF THE ACCESS ROAD, OUTSIDE THE SECURED AREA, THERE  
IS A DRIVE-THROUGH BUILDING AND A SIDE ROAD LEADING  
TO A LOOP ENCIRCLING AN UNIDENTIFIED OBJECT.

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GORKIY SUSPECT ABM AREA 5620N 04400E

NO ABM ACTIVITY OBSERVED IN CLEAR AREAS WITHIN A  
40-NM RADIUS OF GORKIY.

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CHITA SUSPECT ABM AREA 5254N 11332E

ONLY WESTERN HALF OF SEARCH AREA COVERED. NO ABM  
ACTIVITY NOTED IN CLEAR AREAS. SITE WHERE CIRCULAR  
AREAS WERE OBSERVED PREVIOUSLY IS NOT COVERED BY

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KOMSOMOLSK SUSPECT ABM AREA 5200N 13700E

ONLY THE WESTERN HALF OF THE SEARCH AREA IS COVERED  
BY PHOTOGRAPHY. NO ABM FACILITIES OBSERVED IN  
VISIBLE PORTIONS.

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AIRCRAFT

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OLENYA AIRFIELD 6809N 03327E

AIRCRAFT -- 12 PROBABLE BADGER ON SW PARKING APRON  
AND ONE LARGE SWEEP-WING AIRCRAFT ON LOADING STAND.

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KIEV AIRCRAFT PLANT 473 5027N 03024E

AIRCRAFT -- 8 SMALL SINGLE-ENGINE STRAIGHT-WING AND  
4 POSSIBLE SMALL AIRCRAFT AT KIEV/SVYATOSHINO  
AIRFIELD, JUST NW OF PLANT PROPER.

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KILDIN ISLAND INSTRUMENTATION SITE 6922N 03412E

NO TRACKING FACILITIES OR RADAR IDENTIFIED IN VISIBLE  
PORTIONS OF KILDIN ISLAND.

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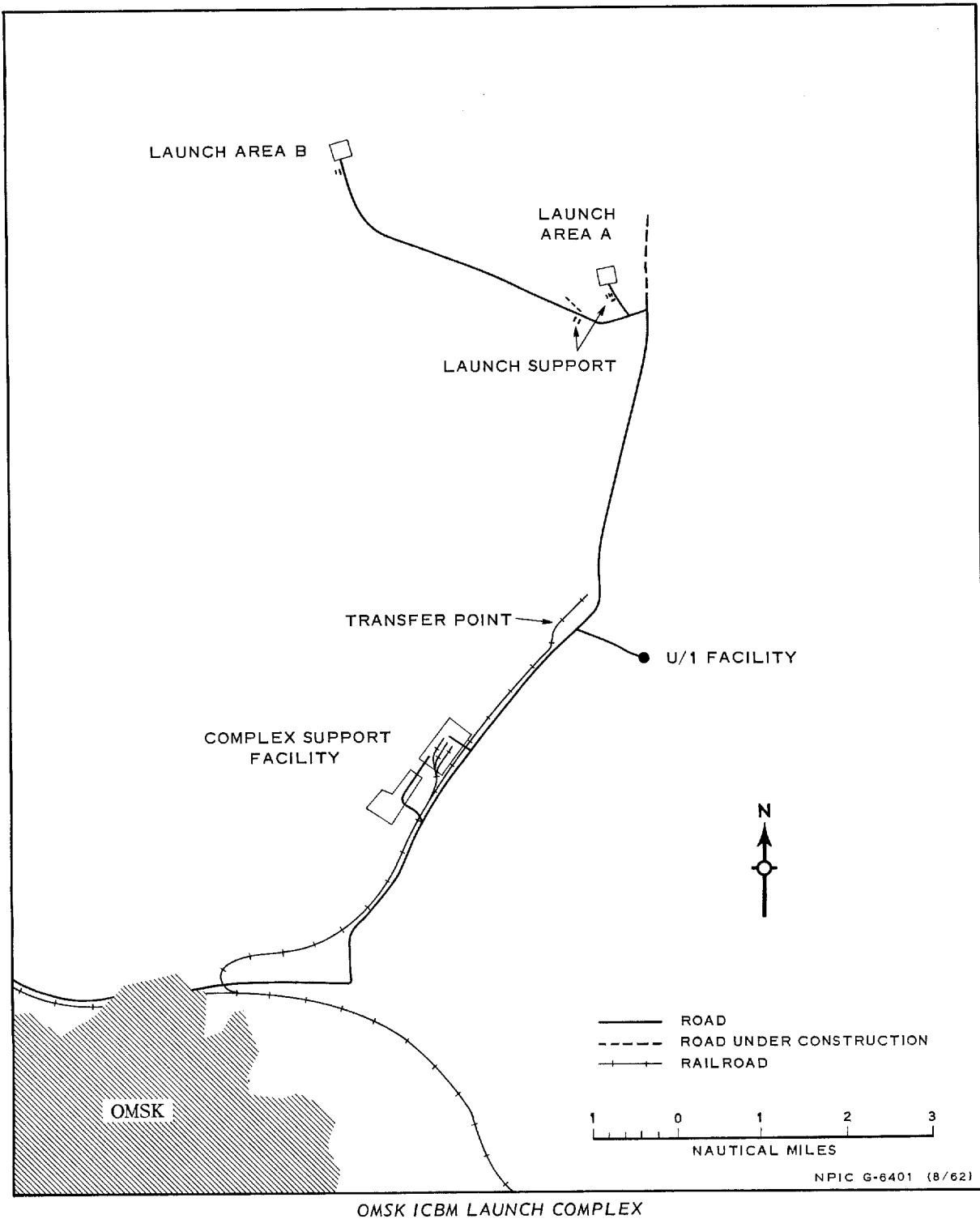
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